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Center Point Baptist Church
“Covenants Are Serious”
Church Covenant Sermon Series
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- I. In Our Day
 - A. A person’s word is taken seriously in everyday affairs
 - B. Oath sworn in a court of law
 - C. Oath when entering a place of responsibility
 - D. A covenant has at least two parties
 - E. Each party has an obligation

- II. Covenants Were Important To God
 - A. Noah – Genesis 9:9-17
 - B. Abraham – Genesis 12:1-3
 - C. Israel – Exodus 19:4-6
 - D. David – II Samuel 7:8-16

- III. The Church Is A Divine Institution
 - A. Christ established the Church – Matthew 16:13-19
 - B. We by choice have joined the Church, just as men of old – Acts 2:41
 - C. We do this before many witnesses – Hebrews 12:1-3
 - D. God – Angles – This Assembly – And The World

- IV. We Pledge To Be One Body In Christ
 - A. Christ is the head of the Church or body of believers – Ephesians 1:19-23
 - B. We are committing ourselves to live in harmony under Christ – Acts 2:46
 - C. We are committing ourselves to the work of Christ – John 14:15

- V. We made this covenant in:
 - A. Profession of Faith
 - B. In our Baptism
 - C. In the covenant with this local Church